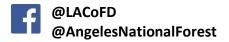


LAKE FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 08/13/2020 Time: 7:00 A.M.

Incident Information Line: (747) 216-0241 Incident Media Line: (323) 347-4725





INCIDENT FACTS						
Incident Start Date: Wednesday August 12, 2020			Incident Start Time:	: 3:38 p.m.		
Incident Type: Brush Fire			Cause: Unknown			
Incident Location: Lake Hughes, Unicorporated Los Angeles County						
Unified Command Agencies: Los Angeles County Fire Department, United States Forest Service						
Size: 10,500 acres	Containment: 0%		Expected Full Containment: Unknown			
Civilian Injuries/Fatalities: 0			Firefighter Injuries: 0			
Structures Threatened: 5,420		Structures Destroyed: 3		Structures Damaged: 0		

CURRENT SITUATION					
Situation Summary:	Overnight firefighters continued to provide structure defense with ground crews as well as providing aerial fire suppression. Today, hot air temperatures in the 90s to 100s, lower relative humidities, and drying fuels will bring elevated fire weather conditions to the Lake Fire. Extreme and aggressive fire behavior influenced by steep topography, with spotting and rapid fire growth are expected. The Fire is actively burning in an area where the fire history is nearly 100 years old. Current objectives include keeping the fire North of Castaic Lake, South of Highway 138, East of Red Rock Mountain, and West of Tule Ridge. Damage assessment teams have confirmed 3 structures have been destroyed on their intial assessment.				
Evacuations:	Lake Hughes Road West of Pine Canyon and North of Dry Gulch Rd. East of Ridge Route Road West of Lake Hughes Road and Fire Station 78 North of Pine Canyon and Lake Hughes Road South of SR-138				
Evacuation Point(s):	Highland High School - 39055 25th Street West Palmdale, CA 93551 Castaic Sports Complex - 31230 Castaic Rd. Castaic, CA 91384 *Clients and small animals can relocate to evacuation points where individual needs will be assessed by Red Cross Personnel. Clients must remain in vehicles and abide by Los Angeles County Health Orders.				
Road Closures:	San Francisquito Cyn Rd from Stater Lane to Spunky Canyon 3 Points Road from Hwy 138 to Pine Canyon Old Ridge Route from Hwy 138 to Pine Canyon Lake Hughes Road from Ridge Route Road to Pine Canyon				

Animal Care:	Lancaster Animal Care Center - 5210 W Ave I, Lancaster, CA 93536				
Palmdale Animal Care Center - 38550 Sierra Hwy, Palmdale, CA 93550					
	Castaic Animal Care Ctr - 31044 Charlie Canyon Rd, Castaic, CA 91384				
	Antelone Valley Fairgrounds (Large Animals Only) - 1326 W Ave N Palmdale CA 93551				

ASSIGNED RESOURCES					
Engines: 173	Hand Crews: 13	Dozers: 4			
Water Tenders: 5	Helicopter: 3	Total Personnel: 1,059			

Cooperating Agencies: Los Angeles County Sheriffs Department, California Highway Patrol, County of Los

Angeles Public Works, Red Cross, Southern California Edison